IN THE STATES PATENT AND TRADEM. OFFICE REQUEST FOR FILING APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 53(b) WITHOUT FILING FEE OR EXECUTED INVENTOR'S DECLARATION

Atty. Dkt. 2380-46 **Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Date: March 19, 1999 Washington, D.C. 20231 request for filing a new PATENT APPLICATION under Rule 53(b) entitled: Method, Arrangement and Apparatus for Telecommunications filing fee and/or without an executed inventor's oath/declaration. sepplication is made by the below identified inventor(s). Attached hereto are the following papers: An abstract together with × pages of specification and claims including 23 numbered claims and also attached is/are 41 sheets of accompanying drawings. This application is based on the following prior foreign application(s): Ø **Filing Date** Application No. Country 20 March 1998 FI 980638 **Finland** respectively, and priority is hereby claimed therefrom. This application is based on the following prior provisional application(s): Application No. **Filing Date** 60/107.651 November 9, 1998 respectively, and priority is hereby claimed therefrom. Certified copy/ies of foreign applications attached. This application is a __ continuation/__ division/__ continuation-in-part of application Serial No. . filed Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This application is a __ continuation/_ division/ , filed continuation-in-part of application Serial No. Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This is a continuation of PCT application No. Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No.60/107.651, filed November 9, 1998.--Preliminary amendment to claims (attached hereto), to be entered before calculation of the fee. Information Disclosure Statement w/ PTO-1449 Also attached. **TORIKKA** Finnish Inventor: Tapani Aleksi (citizenship) (first) (last) (state/country) Finland Residence: (city) Espoo Post Office Address: Ristiniementie 30 D 13, FIN-02320, Espoo, Finland (incl zip code) Finland TYNI 2. Inventor: Niko (citizenship) (last) MI (first) Finland Residence: (city) (state/country) **Jorvas** Post Office Address: FIN-02420, Jorvas, Finland (incl zip code) NOTE: FOR ADDITIONAL INVENTORS, check box
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